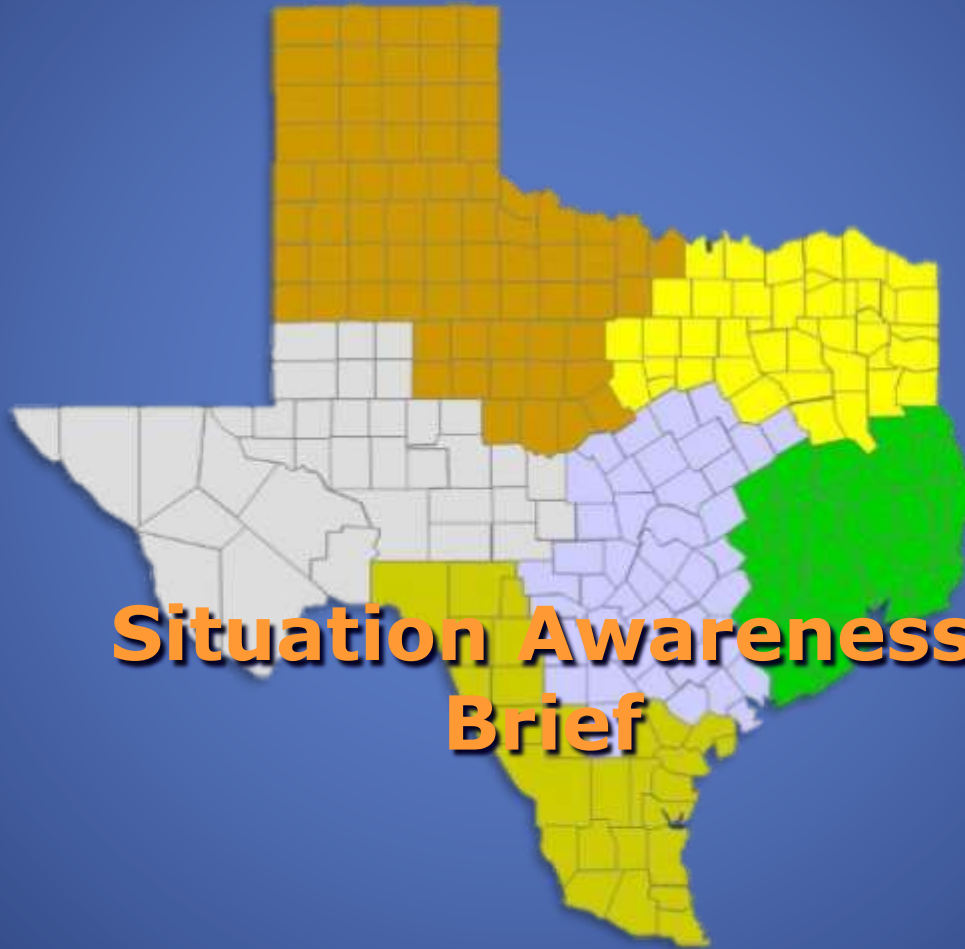


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Situation Awareness Brief



**Saturday, March 27th, 2021
As of 0900 CST**

Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

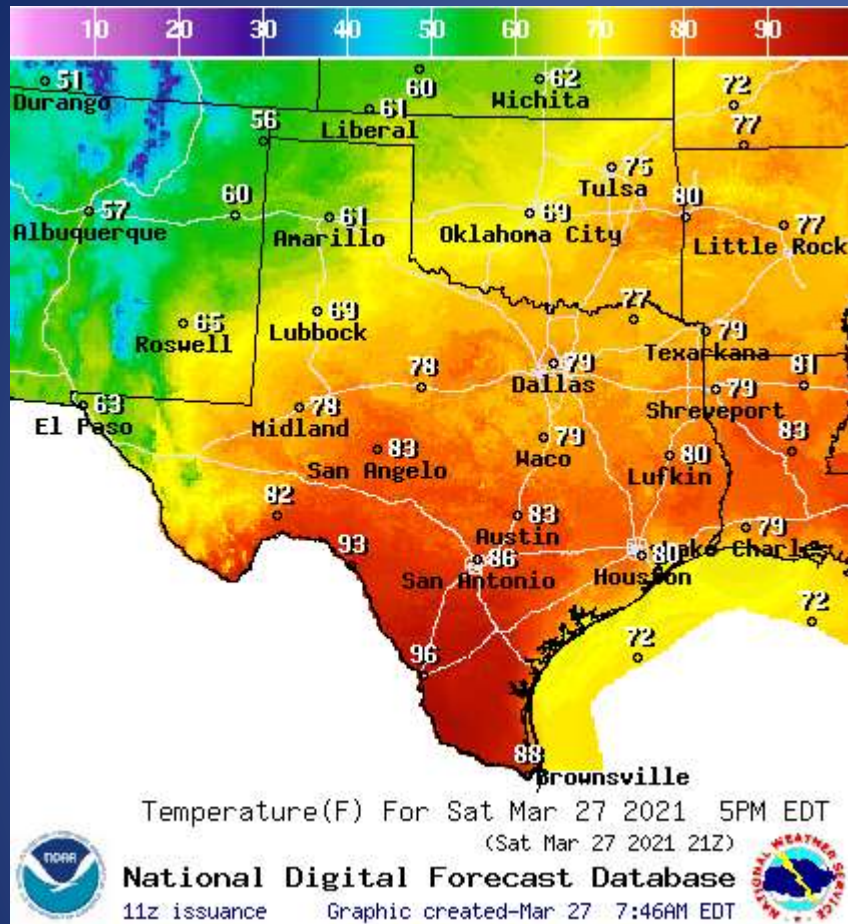
DATE	SUBJECT	LOCATION	Final Report (Y/N)
03/26/21	Initial Report of the Guajillo Fire	Jim Wells County	N
03/26/21	Update Report of the Guajillo Fire	Jim Wells County	N
03/26/21	Preliminary Earthquake Report (M3.4)	Culberson County	Y
03/26/21	Report of Plane Crash	Wise County	Y
03/26/21	Initial Report of the Next Era Fire	Taylor County	N
03/26/21	Initial Report of the Contamination of a Wastewater Facility	Borger/Hutchinson County	N
03/26/21	Update Report #2 of the Guajillo Fire	Jim Wells County	N
03/26/21	Final Report of the Next Era Fire	Taylor County	Y
03/27/21	Preliminary Earthquake Report (M2.6)	Culberson County	Y

Informational Products

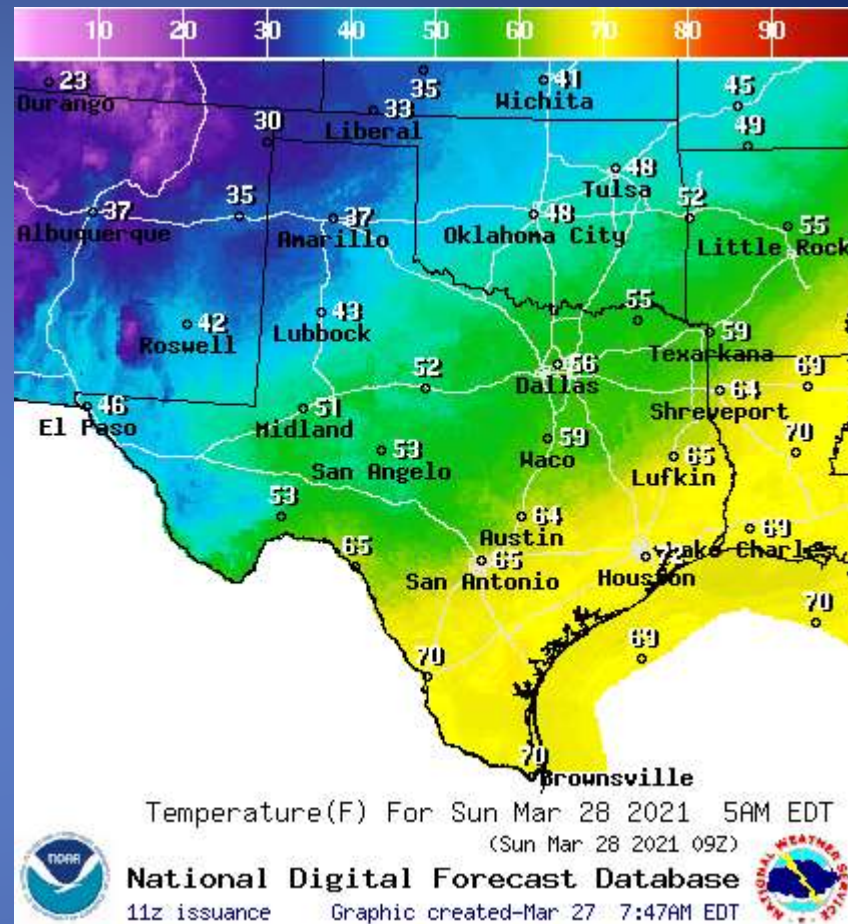
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DATE	SUBJECT
03/26/21	Silver Alert Discontinued–Mathis PD–Quintana
03/26/21	FEMA Region 6 DAILY SITUATIONAL AWARENESS REPORT
03/26/21	NWS Brownsville- Fire Weather Outlook for Deep South Texas for Sunday March 28 th
03/26/21	Endangered Missing Person's Alert Continuation #2–SAPD–Perez
03/27/21	SILVER Alert Activation-Plano PD–Berry
03/27/21	Blue Alert Activation–Texas DPS-Prinson
03/27/21	NWS Shreveport : Severe Weather Threat for March 27, 2021
03/27/21	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Saturday, March 27, 2021 for FEMA Region 6

Weather Forecast

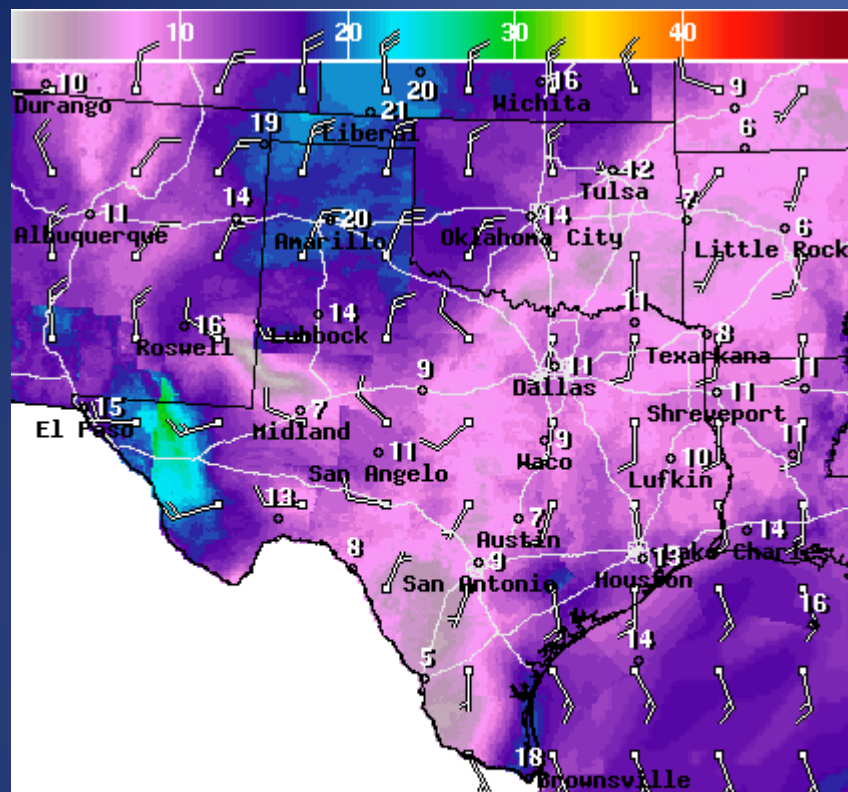


Highs



Lows

Weather Forecast



WindSpd(Kts) & WindDir For Sat Mar 27 2021 5PM EDT

(Sat Mar 27 2021 21Z)



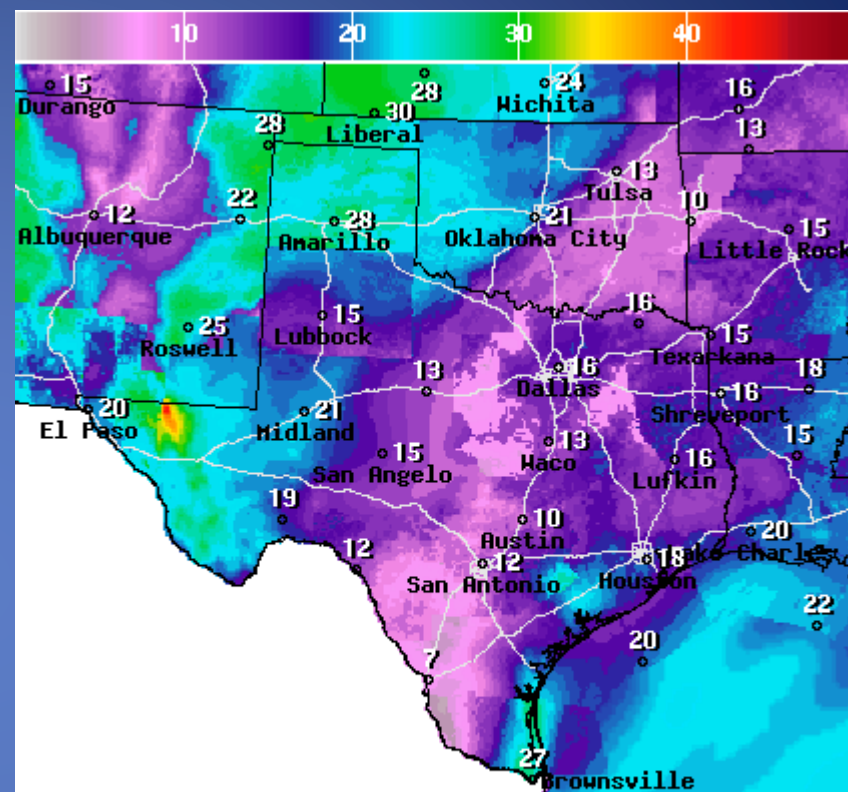
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Wind Speeds



Wind Gust(Kts) Sat Mar 27 2021 5PM EDT

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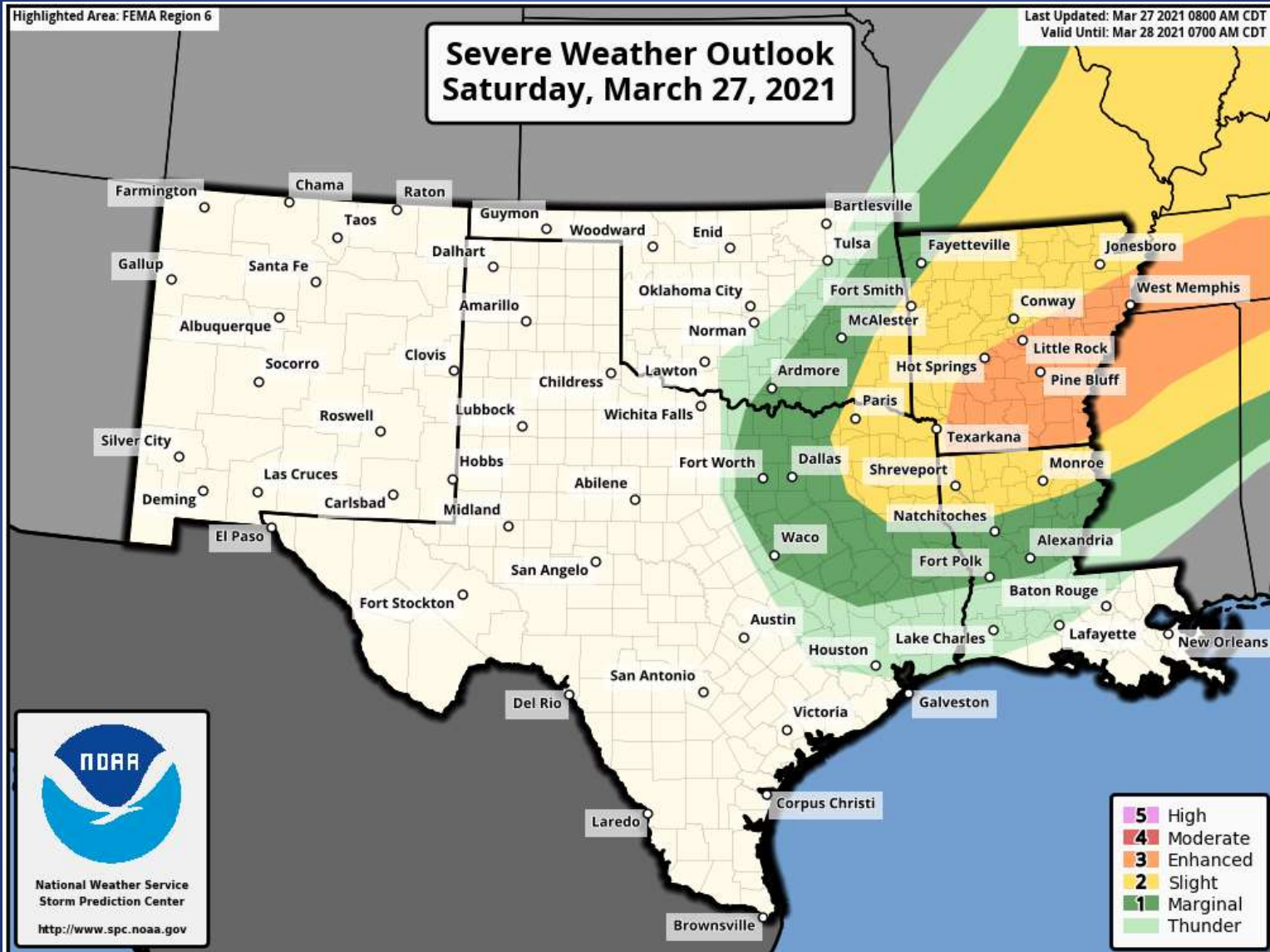
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Hazardous Weather

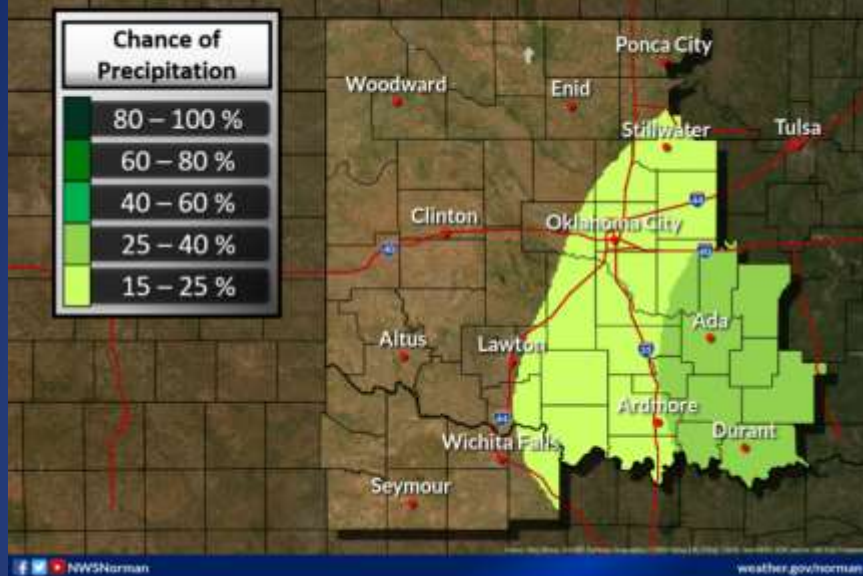


Hazardous Weather

Storm Chances | Saturday Afternoon

A few strong to severe storms possible across southeastern OK

Weather Forecast Office
Norman, OK
Issued Mar 27, 2021 2:26 AM CDT

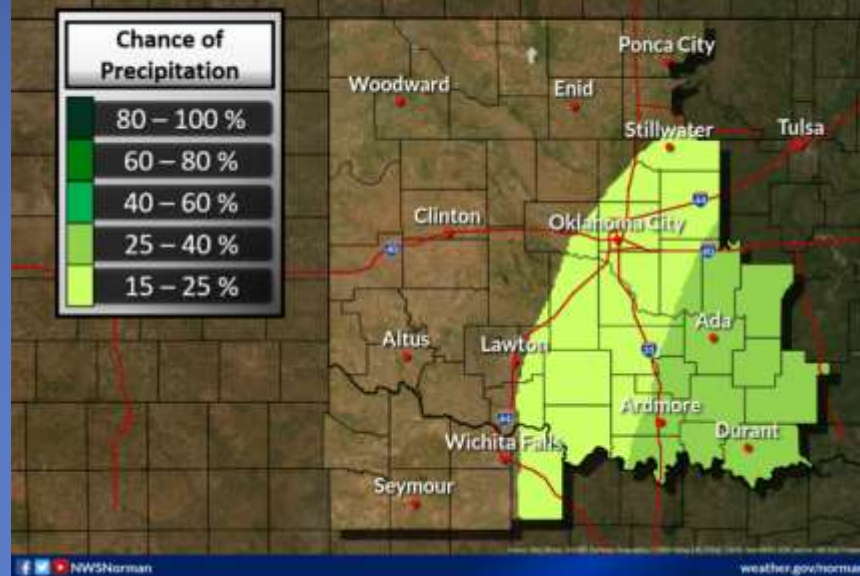


There is a chance for showers and thunderstorms to develop on Saturday afternoon. A few of the storms could be strong to marginally severe in southeastern Oklahoma, with hail and winds as the main risks.

Storm Chances | Saturday Evening

Isolated strong to severe storms possible southeast. Storms diminishing around midnight.

Weather Forecast Office
Norman, OK
Issued Mar 27, 2021 2:32 AM CDT



Showers and thunderstorms remain possible this evening, ending around midnight. Isolated strong to marginally severe storms will be possible this evening.

Hazardous Weather

Severe Potential Late This Afternoon & Tonight

Weather Forecast Office
Fort Worth, TX



A few storms may become strong or severe

Issued March 27, 2021 4:49 AM CT

- A cold front will approach the area late this afternoon and move through tonight.
- A few storms may develop over East Texas ahead of the front this afternoon (red circle). These would be capable of producing very large hail and damaging wind gusts.
- Isolated to Scattered showers and t-storms are then expected to develop along the front late this afternoon and tonight.
- A few storms along the front may become strong to severe with hail and very gusty winds.



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weather.gov/fortworth

A cold front will move through the area late this afternoon and tonight and bring the potential for strong to severe thunderstorms. A few storms are possible this afternoon well ahead of the front over East Texas that would be capable of producing very large hail and damaging wind gusts. Additional storms will develop along the cold front late this afternoon and tonight. Some storms along the cold front may become strong to severe with large hail and damaging winds being the primary threats.

Severe Weather Risk - This Afternoon/Tonight

Weather Forecast Office
Shreveport, LA



Valid from Sat 7:00 AM through Sun 7:00 AM CDT

Issued March 27, 2021 3:16 AM CT

Tornado Potential

High
Medium
Low
Very Low

Maximum Hail Size

Baseball - Softball
Golf ball - Tennis ball
Half Dollar - Golf ball
Quarter - Half Dollar

Maximum Wind Speed

80+ mph
70 - 80 mph
60 - 70 mph



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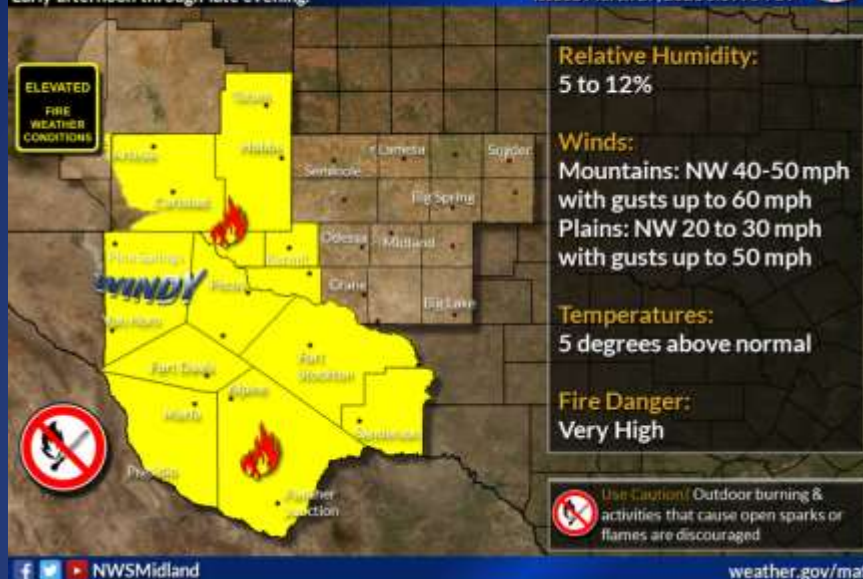
There is now an enhanced risk for severe weather for this afternoon and evening, as a cold front will move through the area. All modes of severe weather will be possible, including tornadoes.

Hazardous Weather

Elevated Fire Weather

Early afternoon through late evening

Weather Forecast Office
Midland/Odessa, TX
Issued March 27, 2021 3:39 AM CT

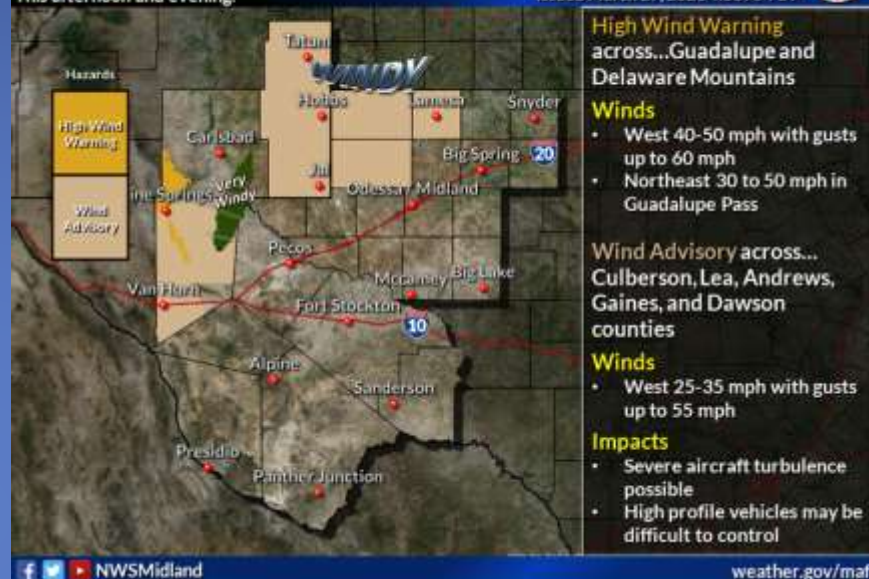


A Fire Danger Statement has been issued due to critical relative humidity and very strong winds out of the NW today. Winds will remain gusty through late this evening before shifting out of the N behind a front. Any fires that develop will have the ability to rapidly spread due to our strong winds and dry conditions.

High Wind Warning & Wind Advisory

This afternoon and evening

Weather Forecast Office
Midland/Odessa, TX
Issued March 27, 2021 4:36 AM CT



A High Wind Warning has been issued for Guadalupe and Delaware Mountains this afternoon and evening. A Wind Advisory is in effect for the highlighted regions for this afternoon and evening.

Hazardous Weather

Warm Again Today

Forecast Highs This Afternoon

Weather Forecast Office
San Angelo, TX
Issued Mar 27, 2021 2:44 AM CDT



Areas of morning low clouds clearing by the afternoon

West to Southwest winds 10-15 mph with gusts to 25 mph in the morning becoming North to Northwest in the afternoon

Elevated to Near Critical Fire Weather conditions west of an Anson to Sonora line



Expect another warm day today, with highs in the low to mid 80s south of the Big Country, and a little cooler in the Big Country due to a cold front (upper 70s). Elevated to near critical fire weather conditions are possible west of an Anson to Sonora line due to breezy winds and low humidity. Expect any low clouds this morning to clear by the afternoon.

Saturday's Outlook

Warming Temperatures with Scattered Showers and Thunderstorms

Weather Forecast Office
Houston/Galveston TX
Issued Mar 26, 2021 2:04 PM CDT



There will be scattered showers and thunderstorms on Saturday with higher coverage across the north. The precipitation chances increase towards the coast in the evening.

Another day of temperatures in the 80s. Scattered showers and thunderstorms are expected across the north.

Hazardous Weather

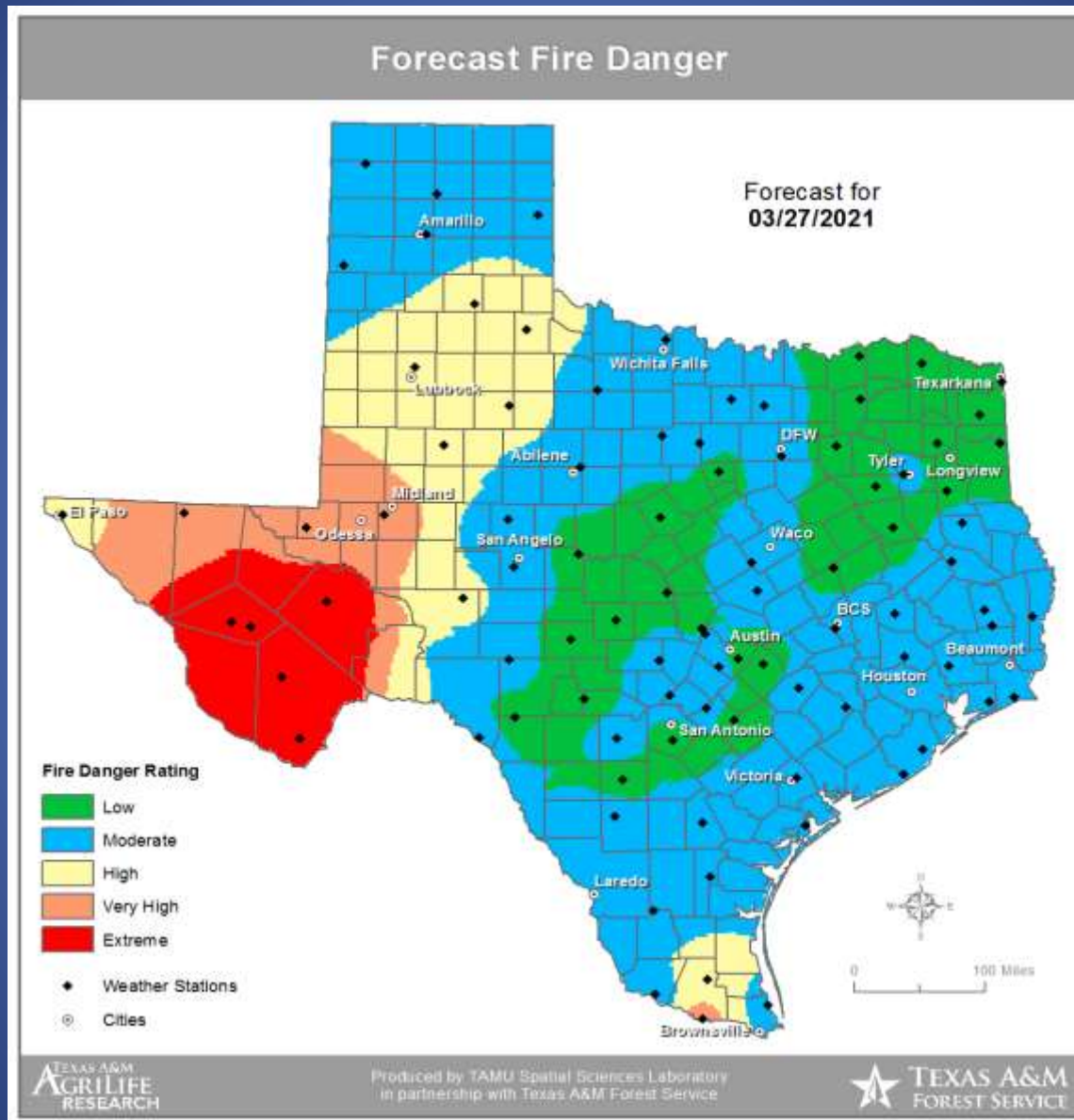


A cold front will begin moving through the area late tonight into early Sunday morning. This front will result in a chance for showers late tonight. An isolated thunderstorm could also be possible, mainly near the Victoria Crossroads.

Weather Warnings/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
03/26/21	Flood Warning	Sabine River Near Mineola affecting Wood and Smith Counties
03/26/21	Coastal Flood Advisory	Islands of Aransas, Calhoun, Kleberg and Nueces Counties
03/26/21	High Wind Warning	Delaware and Guadalupe Mountains affecting Culberson County

Fire Danger Forecast



Burn Ban

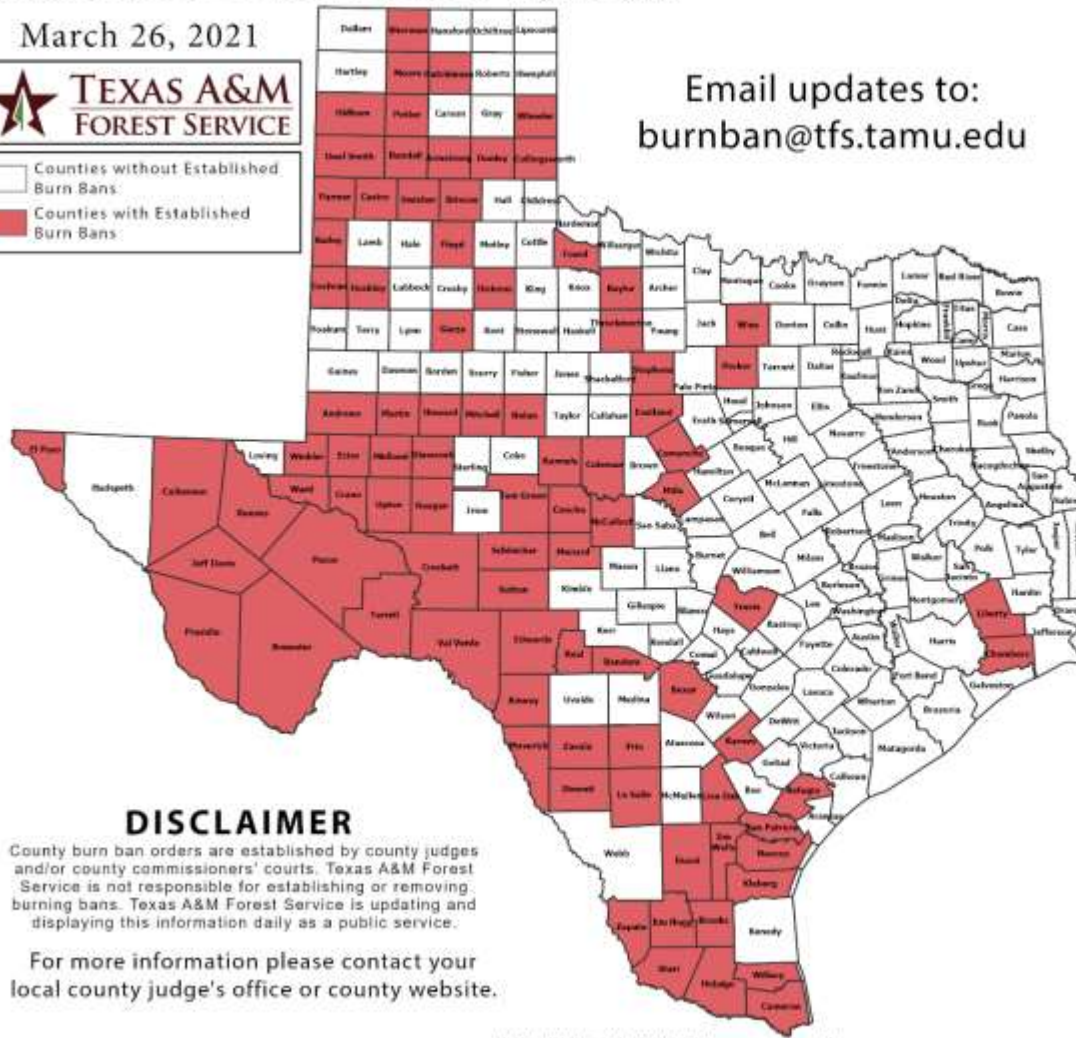
OUTDOOR BURN BANS

March 26, 2021



☐ Counties without Established Burn Bans
☒ Counties with Established Burn Bans

Email updates to:
burnban@tfs.tamu.edu



Counties with Burn Bans: 89

Andrews	Liberty
Armstrong	Live Oak
Bailey	McCulloch
Bandera	Martin
Baylor	Maverick
Bexar	Menard
Brewster	Midland
Briscoe	Mills
Brooks	Mitchell
Cameron	Moore
Castro	Nolan
Chambers	Nueces
Cochran	Oldham
Coleman	Parker
Collingsworth	Parmer
Comanche	Pecos
Concho	Potter
Crane	Presidio
Crockett	Randall
Culberson	Reagan
Deaf Smith	Real
Dickens	Reeves
Dimmit	Refugio
Donley	Runnels
Duval	San Patricio
Eastland	Schleicher
Ector	Sherman
Edwards	Starr
El Paso	Stephens
Floyd	Sutton
Foard	Swisher
Frio	Terrell
Garza	Throckmorton
Glasscock	Tom Green
Hidalgo	Travis
Hockley	Upton
Howard	Val Verde
Hutchinson	Ward
Jeff Davis	Wheeler
Jim Hogg	Willacy
Jim Wells	Winkler
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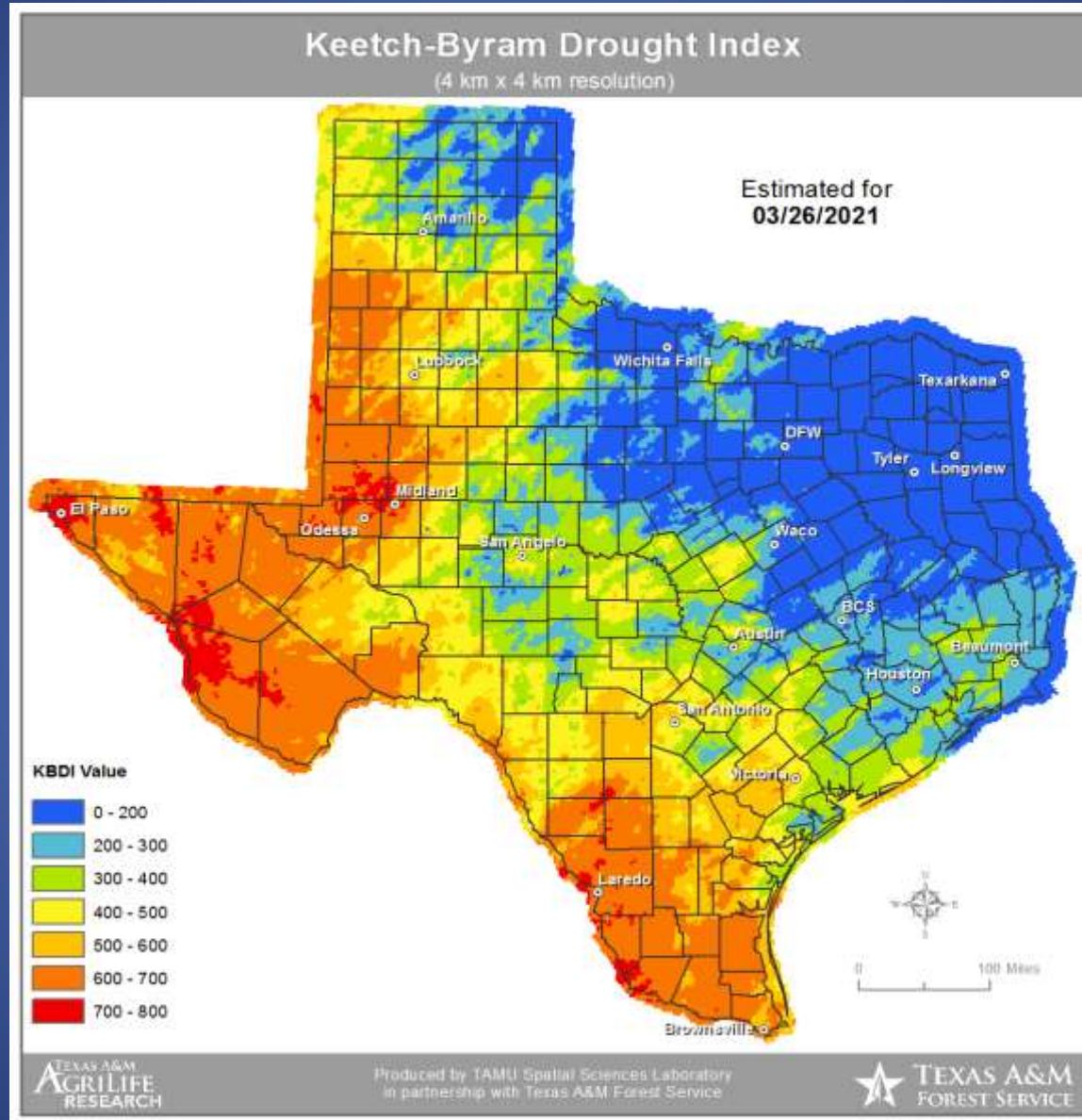
DISCLAIMER

County burn ban orders are established by county judges and/or county commissioners' courts. Texas A&M Forest Service is not responsible for establishing or removing burning bans. Texas A&M Forest Service is updating and displaying this information daily as a public service.

For more information please contact your local county judge's office or county website.

RED FLAG WARNINGS: www.weather.gov
 Additional map formats available at <https://tfsweb.tamu.edu/Burnbans/>

Keetch-Byram Drought Index

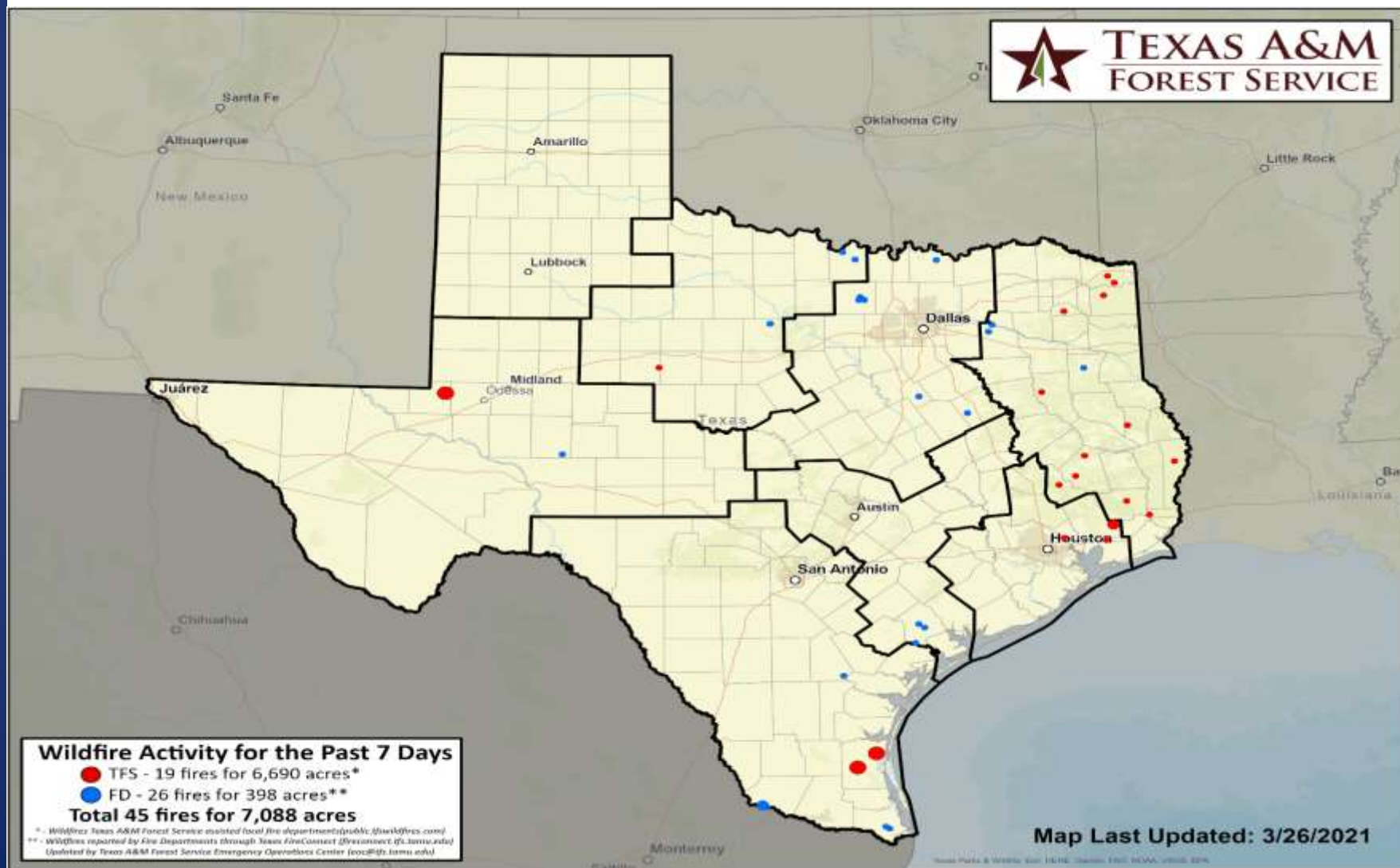


Fire Weather Warnings/Watches/Statements

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
03/26/21	Fire Danger Statement	Brewster, Coke, Crockett, Culberson, Fishers, Irion, Jeff Davis, Loving, Nolan, Pecos, Presidio, Reeves, Schleicher, Sterling, Terrell, Tom Green, Ward and Winkler Counties

Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Reports of 169 (+4) fires and 34,805 (+757) acres have been destroyed this year. There are 89 (no change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list 88 (+1) counties with an average over 400.



Statewide Significant Events

DATE(S)		LOCATION	EVENT
01/12/21	05/24/21	Austin	87th Texas Legislature
03/26/21	03/28/21	Houston	Volleyball – JVA Southern Sprawl
03/26/21	03/29/21	Tomball	German Heritage Festival
03/27/21	04/05/21	Conroe	Montgomery County Fair & Rodeo